

SUGGESTIONS MADE

By the Republicans of Ohio County on Saturday Evening.

THERE WAS A LARGE ATTENDANCE

AT EVERY DISTRICT MEETING, AND UNUSUAL INTEREST TAKEN IN THE PROCEEDINGS.

The Ohio county Republican suggestion meetings were held in the ten districts of the county on Saturday evening, at 8:30 o'clock, in Triadelphia and the city districts, and at 6 p. m. in Richland and Liberty districts.

At several of the suggestion meetings the following resolution was passed, and the congressional convention suggestions were made in accordance with its provisions:

"Whereas, There is a contest for the nomination for representative for Congress between Hon. B. B. Dovenor, Hon. J. A. Campbell and Hon. B. F. Meighen; therefore, be it

"Resolved, That all persons who are suggested for delegates to the congressional convention from this county shall be designated in the following manner: All persons suggested as delegates who will vote for and support Hon. B. B. Dovenor shall have their names placed on the ticket to be voted at the primary election under the caption, 'For B. B. Dovenor,' and in like manner all persons suggested who will support Hon. J. A. Campbell shall have their names placed on the ticket under the caption, 'For John A. Campbell,' and all persons suggested who will support Hon. B. F. Meighen shall have their names placed under the caption, 'For B. F. Meighen.'"

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THE HEBREWS

And Their Place in the World the Topic of a Sermon

By DR. J. L. SOOY LAST EVENING.

THE ACTION OF A LOCAL SUMMER RESORT IN EXCLUDING ALL JEWS MOVED THE SPEAKER TO A PUBLIC CONDEMNATION OF THE ACT—THE JEWS' LEGACY TO THE WORLD, THEIR BEAUTIFUL HOME LIFE, THEIR POSITION IN ART AND OTHER PHASES OF LIFE, AND LAST THEIR LOYALTY—A SPECIAL SERVICE OF MUSIC.

At the Fourth Street M. E. church last evening, Dr. Sooy's subject was "A Hebrew of the Hebrews." He said these are the words of the Apostle Paul. Men of all ages had been proud of their ancestors. Paul had reason to boast of his Jewish extraction.

To the people of Wheeling there are not many first-class summer resorts or places for family boarding, to which one can flee from the heat of the city. One such house, which has come somewhat into public favor, has, during the past week, given the community a genuine sensation by declaring a quarantine against all Jews. Had it been against some one individual or family, we should not have condescended to note the occurrence. But when the Jews, as a body, are thus singled out, we cannot hold our peace. Who are the Jews? What is their record? Why quarantine against all Jews?

1. Look at their legacy to the world. The Jews gave us the Bible. They gave to the world the noblest conception of God—one God, the Jehovah of Revelation. Jesus Christ himself was a Jew. The Jews carried Greek learning into Europe, dissipating mediæval darkness. They were the pioneers of Biblical criticism. They supplied the weapons for the Protestant Reformation. On the binding and the title page of its books, the Jewish Publication Society of America has pictured the lamb and the lion lying down together, and the child playing with the asp, while underneath the picture is written the words, "Israel's mission is peace." The picture tells what Israel's prophet saw more than twenty-five centuries ago. That is the mission of the Jew—peace; peace through morality and religion.

2. Look at their home life. Who has sung more sweetly than the Hebrew poet of home, where every man shall sit under his vine and under his fig-tree, and none shall make them afraid; where the father of a large family is like the fortunate hunter with a quiver full of arrows; where the children are called to olive plants around the father's table, and where a cardinal virtue of childhood is honor to father and mother. And where shall one look to-day for finer types of domestic felicity than may be found in Jewish homes? The extent to which the Jew educates his children, and helps his poor to become self-supporting; and the very small percentage which he furnishes to the annals of crime, give to him a high character for morality.

3. Look at their position in art, literature, philanthropy, finances and statesmanship. I need only mention a few of the many names of world-wide renown. In philanthropy there are Sir Moses Montefiore, an English Jew, and Baron Hirsch, both of them distinguished for their philanthropic mission to the world. In finance there are the Rothschilds, English and German-Hebrew bankers, to whom the nations of Europe have looked to more than once in their financial crises. In philosophy the Jews have furnished Spinoza, the pioneer of modern philosophy; not to speak of Maimonides and Moses Mendelssohn, of earlier date.

In music who does not know of Mendelssohn, the great German composer, who was a Jew, and who has no superior in an age of the world. And Anton Rubinstein, the great pianist, was a Russian Jew; while Remenyi, the violinist, who died recently in California, acknowledged to be the equal of Ole Bull, was a Hungarian Jew.

In statesmanship who has not heard of the great David, the only near approach to Gladstone in the English parliament? He was a Jew. Also the Hon. Oscar Straus, who has a second time been appointed minister to Turkey, is a Jew. Mr. Straus served under President Cleveland's administration. Never was the country so well represented before. Mr. Harrison wished to continue him, as also did Mr. Cleveland during his second term, when the missionaries and other American citizens in Turkey urged Mr. Straus's return, but he could not go. Now, at this time, the United States and Porto Rico are very important, and President McKinley faces the need of the services of the man who has before this succeeded at the difficult post.

I need not stop to enumerate the great names of Jews in literature, science and exploration. One other fact only I mention. One of the great New York newspapers has for its editor a Jew, and the leading newspaper west of the Mississippi, the Omaha Bee, has another.

4. Look at their loyalty. The position of the Jews in the world is peculiar. They may be English, German, Prussian, Hungarian, American, and as such loyal to the land of their birth. The Jew, in our midst, is an American. His loyalty in this war with Spain is unquestioned. And why not? It was a Jew that piloted Columbus when he first landed on Cuban soil. And modern Jews have abundant and solemn reasons for interest in our war for Cuba. The more devout among them, like those described by Zangwill in his "Children of the Ghetto," hold that prophecy foretells the ruin of Spain by a nation which previously has succeeded the Jews. These Jews identify the United States as that nation, and believe that God intends to use it to avenge His people against their oppressors. No wonder we are told that special prayers are made in synagogues in behalf of the United States.

When I reflect upon the record which the Jew has made for himself, and upon the further fact that he has become an important factor in more than one department of our economy—I confess to an unutterable surprise at the ignorance and the narrowness of any person or class of persons who presumes to declare a quarantine against the Jews as such. Such a fact may have been consistent with the education of earlier times, but it is out of time with the nineteenth century. It is un-Christian; it is narrow; it is little, and as they would put it in Kentucky, "mighty" little at that. It may do in some dark corner; it will not do in Wheeling, where the Jew ranks among our best citizens, socially, morally and in every respect. This is an age of brotherhood and good feeling. Every one who has ever studied the character of Jesus Christ is driven to the conclusion reached by John Stuart Mill: "What would Jesus of Nazareth have done if he had been in my place?" There is not

UNDER BLACK WINGS

Neither Love Nor Duty Can Stay the Suicide's Hand.

Three Women, High in Washington Society, Kill Themselves Because They Believed Health Was Gone From Them Forever.

"Opening his mouth wide, he brusquely thrust the pistol-barrel into the very bottom of his throat and pressed upon the trigger."

Of course the shot killed him. He had been challenged to a duel, and the fear of death drove him to suicide. Guy de Maupassant, the great French writer, tells the story. This is no mere fancy of a novelist. It is a dreadful, eternal truth. Men and women, living under the shadow of Death's black wing, fling themselves into the arms of the very enemy they dread. See the proofs of this in the matter-of-fact newspaper reports. Note that in a great city half-a-dozen persons will, in a single day, take their own lives. Why? Various motives are assigned, such as disappointed love, financial ruin, actual or impending disgrace and thwarted ambition. The most prevalent reason is not dwelt upon, except in rare cases, because to the unthinking reader it is less impressive than the others. Yet the fact that sufferers from real or imaginary disease, despairing of a cure, take their own lives, is the most appalling of all the dreadful facts connected with suicide. Within a few weeks three women, moving in the highest society in Washington, killed themselves because they saw no hope of overcoming disease. They had struggled and loped until struggle seemed vain and hope a mocking delusion. One day the shadow of the black wing was so near that it blotted out all the joy and sunshine of the world. The next day's papers told of a historic family's awful affliction.

Aliments leading to self-murder are roughly dividable into two classes; those that temporarily madden and proceed from ill-regulated nerves, and those of which the symp-

ptoms are misunderstood by patients and physician. In the pitiless struggle for existence the sick are at an awful disadvantage. They are trampled under foot like lame wolves in the rush of their strong and hungry fellows. Small wonder is it that the invalid, gloomily reflecting on what he believes to be his hopeless state, resorts to pistol or poison; to the rope or the river.

A few dry words from his doctor have fallen on his ear like a death-sentence. In some medical book the sufferer has read of deadly disease with symptoms such as he noted in himself. He concludes he has some disease he has read about, an inference as natural as it is unwarranted. Pride, duty and love are powerless to hold the suicide's hand.

Among the readers of this article may be some who have pondered long on the question whether a sick life is worth living, yet have not reached that pitch of despair when they would push themselves across the line between time and eternity. To them a few words of simple, temperate common sense. How do you know that you cannot be as well and strong as any of your neighbors?

What authority has condemned you to the bondage of disease? Your doctor, and possibly the doctor whom he called in consultation. But they are busy general practitioners who treat all sorts of maladies. They give up the fight until a specialist, trained for years in the study of just such cases as yours, has heard all about you. The Warner Nazaro Medicine Co., 231 Broadway, New York, has arranged to place the reach of every special treatment within the reach of every body. No matter what part of your body is affected; no matter how long you have suffered, the highest talent and the widest knowledge in the country are at your disposal. With obstinate diseases of lungs, nerves, blood, stomach, liver and kidneys the company's Board of Physicians has been most successful. Correspondence is invited from women who are victims of diseases peculiar to their sex, and from men who ordinary measures have failed to rid of their troubles. A carefully arranged system blank will be sent you for the asking, which will enable you to fully and accurately describe your disease. Write for this today.

THE IMMUNES

Will be Mustered into the Federal Service Tomorrow—Second Lieutenant Carskaddon's Lack of Success in Recruiting at Keyser.

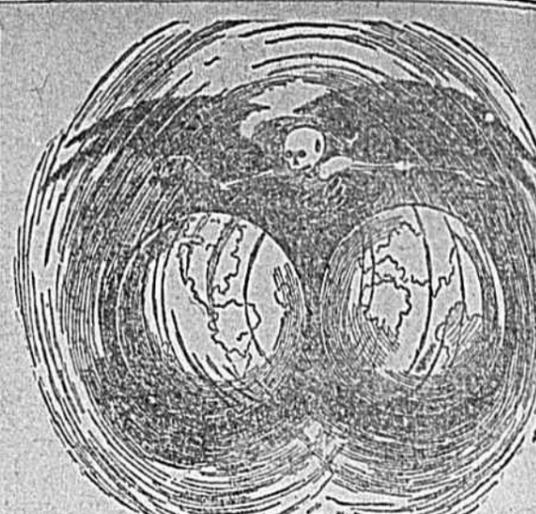
The Wheeling company of immunes, Company F of the Fourth United States States Volunteer Infantry, will be mustered into the Federal service here tomorrow afternoon. Captain Goodwin, the mustering officer, arrived in the city yesterday afternoon from Parkersburg, where he has just mustered in Company E, eighty-two strong, under Captain Monroe. Captain Goodwin is a regular army officer, of the Fourteenth Infantry.

Captain Franzheim and Lieutenant Huseman were sorely disappointed yesterday when Second Lieutenant Carskaddon came in from Keyser and reported that he hadn't enlisted a man for the company in the eastern Pan Handie. He had been instructed to receive thirty recruits, but for some reason failed to do anything. With Captain Goodwin in the mustering office, pressing them for an early date for the mustering in of the company, the officers of the local company were in anything but a satisfactory frame of mind Sunday afternoon.

However, Messrs. Franzheim and Huseman redoubled their efforts and expect to have eighty-five good men and true on the roll to-morrow. Sunday afternoon, Lieutenant Huseman made a pilgrimage to Bridgeport and got eight recruits and the promise of others who will apply for enlistment at the recruiting office, 115 Market street, to-day. The attention of over-the-river men is called to the fact that they have an opportunity to see early service by enlisting in the immune company, but they must make up their minds without delay for the company will be mustered in on Tuesday, and will probably be en route to Fredericksburg, the point of rendezvous for the Fourth, before many hours, certainly before the close of the week.

"THE FIRST" RECRUITING. First Lieutenant C. W. Conner arrived from Camp George H. Thomas on Saturday evening, and this morning opens a recruiting office in Wheeling—this makes the third in all West here for the purpose of receiving 100 recruits for the First West Virginia regiment, now in camp at Chickamauga. The regiment is 300 short of its full strength of 1,300, and the war department insists upon its being recruited to its proper strength. Major Banks at Huntington, Lieutenant Eaton at Parkersburg and Lieutenant Conner at Wheeling will each secure 100 recruits. It is not necessary that all of the 100 men should come from Wheeling; men from the counties in this part of the state or from over the river will be accepted. These men will be distributed among the companies that are weak numerically. Few of them will be assigned to Company M (Mountsboro) one of the few companies of the regiment that went to the front fully recruited.

WILL DRILL TO-NIGHT. To-night at the Hub building, Captain Willis's company of the Second West Virginia Volunteer Infantry, which goes to the front on the second call, will meet for drill by Captain Willis. This company is nearly recruited to its required strength, 104 men, and with the recruits coming in from out in the state and several from Wheeling will reach its quota. Young men desiring to serve in a distinctive Wheeling company in a state regiment should lose no time in applying to Captain Willis at his office on Market street.



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celebrated yesterday at many Wheeling churches—Attractive programmes were in evidence—The Service at the Second Presbyterian Church.

Large congregations and attractive services were the rule at those churches yesterday celebrating "Children's Day." The exercises were held in the forenoon, and the programmes were carried out exceptionally well, showing that "Children's Day" occupies a more prominent place on the church calendars than when it was inaugurated. The Presbyterian and Methodist Episcopal churches had prepared excellent programmes.

For the past three years the Second Presbyterian church has given careful and liberal attention to "Children's Day," and yesterday morning's service was beautiful and inspiring. Nearly 200 Sunday school scholars participated and their bright faces, beaming with gladness, and attired in white dresses, with a background of June's fairest floral offerings, made a beautiful picture. It was a banner day for the Sunday school.

The children first assembled in the church basement, and then marched upstairs, divided by classes. Professor H. Hartmann rendered a march on the organ, to which the children stopped. They remained standing, after all had marched in and sang "Marching On," prayer by the pastor, Rev. Joseph Speers, and the Lord's Prayer, by the congregation, next followed. Then came the baptism of infants, and the congregational singing of "America," after which Superintendent Lewis Clohan conducted the responsive reading. The children sang another hymn, which preceded the rendition of a programme, entitled "The Twentieth Century Movement."

The first four addresses were given by "Presbyterian Sabbath School Missions," and were made by Lulu Gillespie, Magie McKeever, Minnie Bone, and Elizabeth Carr. Remarks on the auspiciousness of the occasion, and impressing the fact that the day was for the children, were made by Rev. Mr. Speers. Secretary Arch T. Hupp read his annual report, showing an attendance of 155 scholars, the total enrollment was 240, and general average for the year, 185.

"Jewels," the infant class in charge of Misses Sue Campbell and Annie Meyer, was the feature of the services. After the primary exercises, Miss Kate Ritter's class opened the programme on the "Twentieth Century Movement." The class was composed of Howard Dudley, Harry Ahrens, Willie Bodie and Ellis Herbert. Miss Laura Dazell's class and the seven little girls in Miss Lizzie Doddridge's class, concluded the exercises.

GERMAN M. E. CHURCH. Excellent Exercises Rendered by the Sunday School.

The "Children's Day" exercises at the German M. E. church yesterday morning were very fine, and attracted to the Chapline street edifice a large congregation. The children carried their parts out with credit to their instructors, and the singing and scenes of early Methodism depicted, combined to make the programme unusually interesting.

The pulpit was tastefully adorned with flowers, and the children formed many pretty groups. It was the first Children's Day under the new pastor, Rev. L. A. King, and he has reason to feel proud. Last night there was a tastily arranged song service, and the choir sustained its high reputation. The Children's day programme was as follows:

Organ Prelude.....Albert Metzner Hymn.....Congregation Prayer.....Rev. L. A. King Opening Address.....Master Wesley Song.....Infant Department Songs.....Birthplace of John and Charles Wesley. Remarks by Miss Edith Johnson. Scene—The Holy Club. Remarks by Master Mar Bergner. Scene—Stella Esmeyer, Clara Bock and Annabell Daum. Address.....Daum George Melschrod Dialogue.....Miss Clara Esmeyer and Kurt Bergner Scene—Primitive Methodism. Remarks by Superintendent Metzner. Responsive Reading.

SACRED SONG SERVICE. Rendered by Fourth Street Choir in an Artistic Manner.

The Fourth Street M. E. choir last night rendered a special song service to a large congregation, which certainly would have been larger had the weather been more favorable. The programme embraced the gems of sacred song by the great composers, and its rendition reflected additional honors on this musical organization and its director, Mr. E. R. Bullard.

No praise could be too lavish for the harmony and finish of the chorus, and when it is said that the choir has undergone constant rehearsal for several weeks, some idea may be gained of the efforts necessary for the effect given last night. The power of song in church work is being more appreciated every year, until it has ceased to be a strange fact to find that a crowded church and good choir are found under one roof.

The song service proper began with the "Processional March," by Gounod, played by Mr. Perry. The chorus' first number was "The Radiant Morn Hath Passed Away," by Woodward, a beautiful selection. Other chorus selections were Rossini's "Inflammatus," with English words, the air sustained by Miss Zou Hastings in a very artistic manner; an eight-part chorus, "Judge Me Not, O God," by Mendelssohn. In which the male voices showed up well; another of Mendelssohn's compositions, a duet and chorus, "I Waited for the Lord," Misses Hastings and Metzner singing the chorus, and a duet by Gounod, "Until the Day Breaks," by Miss Hastings and Mrs. Morris.

The choir's work showed improvement over any work it has done for a long time and the soloists were at their best.

CHILDREN'S DAY SERVICE. The Children's Day service at the North Street M. E. church last evening was a grand success. The church programme, with the six historical charts prepared by Dr. C. H. Payne, were used with telling effect, and the speeches and the dialogues by the young people were both entertaining and instructive, and of a character to continue doing good in days to come.

The forenoon service was also a delightful occasion, being the Holy Communion and preaching by Rev. A. Moore.

HIGH SCHOOL BACCALAUREATE. The baccalaureate sermon at the high school graduates will be delivered next Sunday evening at the First Christian church by the pastor, Rev. C. M. Oliphant. Last night, Rev. Mr. Oliphant made the annual address to the Y. M. C. A. and Y. M. C. A. of Bethany college.

A DESPERATE EFFORT. To Clear Ex-Cashier Harry Clark Being Made at Columbus.

The counsel of Harry M. Clark, the alleged defaulting cashier of the First National bank of Bridgeport, are making a desperate attempt to prove his innocence of the crime with which he is charged, says the Columbus State Journal. Judge Driggs, one of the ablest attorneys of the state, seconded by Judge Okey, of Columbus, are making every effort. When Bank Examiner Boden, who had first discovered the shortage in the books, testified, they even attempted to draw out him, one of the government's principal witnesses, testimony in a sensational manner.

The case will be taken up again at 9 o'clock Monday morning, at which time another book, which the defense have secured for from the bank, will be placed in evidence. It is expected with this ledger to prove Clark did not take the money he is accused of embezzling.

Friday evening at the Carron Club the advanced pupils of Signor and Mrs. Riccardo Ricci will be heard from the concert stage, and an enjoyable evening is certain. The reputation of Signor and Mrs. Ricci as professional and superior musicians is known to the most worldly at large, and any student thought worthy by them to be brought before the public is, in that fact, personally complimented. The mandolin solos of Friday evening, are Miss Louise Rinehart and Miss Lizzie Jones.

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